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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT : MELICK, et al.  
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STORING AND RETRIEVING MATERIAL HANDLING EQUIPMENT  
RECORDS AND CERTIFICATIONS

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

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The following amendment and remarks are presented in an effort to correct an inadvertent omission in the title of the originally filed application which became apparent after filing. As no new matter is added, it is respectfully requested that the following preliminary amendment be entered.

**In the Title**

The title has been amended as follows:

ELECTRONIC SYSTEM FOR IDENTIFICATION, RECORDING, STORING, AND  
RETRIEVING MATERIAL HANDLING EQUIPMENT RECORDS AND CERTIFICATIONS.

**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING (37 C.F.R. § 1.8(a))**

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